

REMARKS

Claims 1-3 and 5-15 are pending. Claims 1, 7 and 15 are the independent claims.

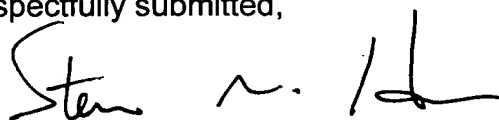
Claim Objections

Claims 1, 5 and 15 have been amended as recommended by the Examiner to clarify same.

35 U.S.C. §§ 102 and 103

The rejections based upon §§ 102, 103 are all based upon the CIFO (NL 7601311) document. With this amendment, applicant has submitted a supplemental IDS including an English translation of pages 2-4 of the CIFO document. At page 4, lines 5-8 of the CIFO document, it is stated that rotation of the clamping screw 16 is prevented by providing the screw and the opening in the lip 14 with a square cross-sections. This is in contrast to the apparatus defined by the claims of the present application. As such, it is respectfully submitted that the pending claims are now in condition for allowance and that this application meets all other statutory requirements.

Respectfully submitted,



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